SENATE BILL 3497

By Beavers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8; Title 10; Title 16 and Title 17, relative to the judicial branch of government.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 16-20-102, is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision (h)(3):

(3) No later than March 15 of each year, the comptroller of the treasury shall conduct a survey of the data that is compiled pursuant to subdivision (h)(1) and report the number of disputes that were successfully resolved at each victim-offender mediation center during the immediately previous calendar year to the judiciary committees of the house of representatives and the senate. The administrative office of the courts shall provide assistance to the comptroller in conducting the survey that is required by this section.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

it.